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OLD HICKORY  
HELD IDEAL

Coolidge Lauds  
Jackson

Term of Seventh President  
Accepted Formally by  
Chief Executive

Memory of Law Upheld  
as Essential Principle  
in Administration

WASHINGTON, April 15. (AP)—  
A rapid figure of an  
old action was accepted today  
by President Coolidge on behalf  
of the nation to join the solemn  
ceremony of law and order which  
was held in the great hall of  
the Capitol.

He accepted the status of "Old  
Hickory" from the State of Ten-  
nessee as a contribution to Statuary  
Hill. Coolidge paid tribute to  
those who exemplified the  
opportunity offered to  
the nation of serving handi-  
men.

Many words to Jackson "one  
of the high pillars among  
the states of our country," Mr.  
Coolidge said. "He gave to the  
nation with loyalty to  
a new strength which  
has lasted for many years. He  
brought with him the principles  
of a statesman who was  
a statesman for the nation and the  
country without obligations and  
a statesman for the people."

THE POWER

One is from the people, he  
noted that there is suffi-  
cient in self-government  
to meet the needs of a people,  
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brought with him all restraints and im-  
pulses into which he was born  
and he has been bound the provincial-  
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country reported more mid  
temperatures with only a light  
snow and Milwaukee with only  
a slight snowfall. The complete  
newspaper was sold at the front  
point and stood at 34 with no  
rain or snow since Friday.

At Lincoln, Neb., the day was  
clear but somewhat cold at 24 deg.  
Illinois experienced a severe frost  
during the night and several  
districts reported it was killing.

OVERTAKES TRAINS

Passengers coming into the Bay  
District by railroad were quick to  
note the significance of the airplane  
edition. Hours after they departed  
from Los Angeles the airplane  
edition was sent to the press. By  
the time the train reached the city  
contained in the edition designed  
for aerial delivery had not yet  
reached The Times office when the  
train left. Despite that fact, the  
number of current events which  
had occurred during the night  
while they slept was placed before  
all of Southern California.

SEVEN OBJECTIVES

One of the popular spirit  
writers, President Coolidge, said  
the frontier long  
ago was the opportunity  
of a man to make it or break it, but  
now it is to seek not  
territory, but the  
opportunities of  
the populated regions of  
the country, of the  
small towns and centers of the  
nation.

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FEW SIGNS  
OF SPRING IN  
MIDWEST

Residents Profess to See  
Winter Relaxing Grip, But  
Snow and Cold Continue

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Toll Reduced in  
Bulgaria Quake

SOFIA (Bulgaria) April 15. (AP)  
The death toll from yesterday's  
earthquake in Southern Bulgaria  
was reduced today when authentic  
reports brought word that there had  
been far fewer casualties than the  
first reports indicated. The total  
is now placed at twenty dead and  
something less than 100 injured.

The smallness of the casualty  
list is attributed to the fact that  
the earthquake occurred on a  
holiday when most of the popula-  
tion was out in the streets of the  
various towns or picnicking in the  
countryside.

RED BLUFF. April 15. (AP)—An  
earthquake lasting several seconds  
was felt over Tehama county at 2  
p.m. today. No damage was re-  
ported, although the tremor caused  
buildings to rock and windows and  
dishes to rattle.

Residents thought that possibly  
Mt. Lassen's volcanic crater might  
have sprung into action, but there  
were no smoke clouds about the peak.

GERMAN paleontologist finds best and  
most complete skull of a Tyrannosaurus  
in California. Page 5.

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Grande into Texas. Page 7, Part 1.

WASHINGTON. President Coolidge  
will extend official greeting to annual con-  
vention of Daughters of the American Rev-  
olution today. Page 3, Part 1.

For the first time Harry F. Sin-  
clair will reveal his side of his defense  
to the Senate Committee on Ex-  
penditures. Page 2, Part 1.

House for 100,000 by need of Senate  
first among them, flood control. Page 9, Part 1.

FOREIGN. Former French war  
pilot in race to be first to reach  
stranded Bremen flyers. Page 1.

Mobile on way to North Pole,  
starting flight ahead of schedule. Page 1, Part 1.

Jerusalem's sacred fire cathers  
drew strength of Greek Cathol-  
ics. Page 3, Part 1.

Review's proposal to prohibit im-  
migration restrictions in Americas  
falls. Page 8, Part 1.

WICHITA FALLS. Page 6, Part 1.

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## BALL BLAST B FACES QUIZ

### Link Acid With Dance Tragedy

Officials Want Expert on  
Explosives to Report  
on Gas Fumes

Fortieth Victim Located;  
Little Missouri Town  
Attends Rites

WEST PLAINS (Mo.) April 15. (Ex-  
clusive)—An hour after his funeral and  
burial this afternoon the body of  
J. W. Weiser, proprietor of the  
garage in which an explosion Friday  
night killed forty persons, was  
ordered exhumed for an examination  
to determine whether burns on  
his face were caused by fire or  
acid.

Prosecuting Attorney Green, in  
issuing the order to Coroner Burns,  
said doctors had told him they be-  
lieved the burns were caused by  
acid.

Prosecutor Green said he was  
not entirely convinced the explosion  
in the garage, which wrecked the  
building while a dance was in  
progress on the second floor, was  
caused by gasoline fumes. He said  
he would request an appropriation  
by the county to send an expert  
on explosives here to examine the  
garage.

**FOURTIETH BODY FOUND**  
The fortieth body was found to-  
day. It is believed to be that of a  
stranger who had not been listed  
among the missing. He apparently  
was caught in a cafe in an ad-  
joining building when the  
explosion occurred. The number of  
bodies along with the dismembered parts  
of another corpse late yesterday, raised the total from thirty-eight.

Meanwhile, this little Ozark city  
today paid final homage to three  
of the victims caught when the ex-  
plosion, which still is unexplained,

was over.

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## AMERICA LEADS IN AVIATION

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NEW YORK, April 15. (Ex-  
clusive)—America assumed  
commercial aviation leadership  
during 1927 by flying  
and building more aircraft for  
this purpose than any other  
nation in the world, according  
to the aircraft year book of  
1928, just released under  
auspices of the Aeronautical  
Chamber of Commerce of  
America, Inc.

It details that during the  
year American commercial  
airplanes flew 12,807,735 miles  
carried 476,724 passengers, and  
2,543,879 pounds of freight  
and express matter.

turns laughter and dancing into  
screams of death. Tomorrow still  
other funerals are planned, and  
on Tuesday, the unidentified dead  
will be buried.

**DIFFERENCE OF OPINION**

As the Coroner's jury marked  
time, amassing evidence and wait-  
ing for recovery of injured to say  
nothing to testify, it had  
decided the inquiry. Wednesday, rumors  
as to the possible cause of the  
explosion continued to spread.

Charles R. Bohrer, jury foreman,  
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While one of the witnesses at the  
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sufficient quantity of gas to cause  
such a terrific blast would have  
been detected by others in the  
dance hall.

**Thief Steals  
New Airplane**

SAN FRANCISCO, April 15. (Ex-  
clusive)—R. S. Ribbey of Oakland  
had a new airplane Saturday. To-  
day he has the wings. An airplane  
thief has the rest.

To police, sheriffs and constables  
of the bay region, Ribbey related  
that Friday a new Curtiss biplane  
was delivered to him. He parked it  
on a hill at Russell City, just  
outside San Leandro. The  
noon when he went out to make a  
trial flight he found the fuselage and  
engine had been hauled away.

**Kern Rancher  
Dies of Burns**

BAKERFIELD, April 15. (Ex-  
clusive)—Burns received when his home was  
raided by fire two weeks ago, proved  
fatal today for Joe Mosco, 30  
years of age, Kern rancher. Mosco,  
a 5-year-old son received minor  
burns but was released from the hospital the following day.

## BAY CITY LAUDS NEWS BY PLANE

PUBLISHING FEAT OF "TIMES"  
CALLED REAL BOON

ANGELINOS IN SAN FRANCISCO  
BUY FRESH HOME PAPER

ENTERPRISE RIVALS TRAINS;  
AIDS BUSINESS MEN

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them when they alighted from  
trains in San Francisco and Oakland.  
As a matter of actual fact  
the papers were here from two to  
five hours before the trains.

W. J. Beers of 434 North Lake  
street, Los Angeles, was the hard-hitting  
eye who he departed from the  
Southern Pacific's Lark at the Third  
and Townsend terminal at 2:30  
a.m. The train had left Los Angeles  
the preceding evening at 8 p.m., five hours before the trim-  
mer Parker began plane had left  
Val Field, Los Angeles.

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**AMAZES CELLIST**

MISS ANTONINE FRIDERICK, for-  
mer Angelino, arriving to keep an  
engagement as solo cellist with the  
Adolf Tandler string ensemble,  
thought of the master first as  
"incredible." Then:

"We are all accustomed to  
rapid transit, but I rubbed my  
eyes when I saw news boys showing  
copies of a paper printed in  
Los Angeles early this morning,  
rushed to San Francisco by plane  
and placed on sale in time to be  
read by Angelinos upon arrival."

"It not only was a surprise but  
a pleasant one," observed C. J. Mac-  
donald of Los Angeles. "When I  
stepped on the train and saw a copy of  
The Times aboard a ferry to  
the city with their new day paper,  
I knew San Francisco became a magic city on the  
shore of a magic ocean.

PROGRESS HAS BEAUTIFIED SAN FRANCISCO  
Without robbing it of its charm. The San of the sand is  
steeped in the hills, the water front is  
now the embankment lined on  
one side by tunnels and the beauti-  
ful concrete reservoirs and office buildings,  
clean as though washed each  
morning by the tides.

Some of the hills seem to have  
shrunk in height, for the sky  
scraper buildings are higher above their summits.

These wide, paved highways now  
connect the city on the land side  
with the peninsula. The barrier once  
offered by twin peaks has been  
passed by tunnels and the beauti-  
ful concrete reservoirs and office buildings,  
clean as though washed each  
morning by the tides.

Those who knew San Francisco  
at the time of the Panama-Pacific  
Exposition in 1915 would hardly  
recognize how the sections that surround  
Golden Gate Park, and the  
Golden Gate.

And, naturally, they stopped to  
buy their favorite paper. And quite  
as naturally, commented which  
referred to the following comment:  
"Enterprising service."

While he informed that paper  
had been dropped into the Bay  
by a plane, she enthused:

"That seems like the last word in  
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And, naturally, they stopped to  
buy their favorite paper. And quite  
as naturally, commented which  
referred to the following comment:  
"Enterprising service."

While he informed that paper  
had been dropped into the Bay  
by a plane, she enthused:

"That seems like the last word in  
enterprise to me."

On the streets of the downtown  
district, visiting Los Angeles but  
noticing the new developments in their  
diseases obvious in their expressions  
as they heard newsmen shouting:

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Ultimately the price will "come or a \$60.00 for \$40.00, be-  
ing a tremendous profit in ger-  
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buy from a jobber—but buys  
a "cut-make and trim" house;  
is" for a big price and tolerate  
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of the original order, requires  
also saves you money by cutting  
"MODERN MERCHAN-  
"goes up, to come down"—  
with his offer—tomorrow.

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PRISONS HERE

Days San Quentin.  
Prison Whitter  
System Appointment  
Warden's Work  
School at Los Angeles  
Landed Without Stint

NEW YORK, April 15. (Ex-  
clusive) San Quentin is severely crit-  
icized in the Whitter State  
Prison, quarterly issue  
of the National Committee for  
Prisoners' Rights, a study of Amer-  
ican prison conditions and meth-  
ods of punishment. One of the  
members of the committee, Dr. M. Liepmann,  
who recently visited the University of Ham-  
burg, Germany, found the  
American prison system  
especially in the "work" system in  
need of improvement. "One of the  
most important, and, in my  
opinion, the most important, is the  
position of the American  
prisoner among the jobs that  
he is given to do. The prison  
is not a prison for serv-  
ing the community, which the  
prisoner is not serving."

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OF ORIENTAL RUGS

MILAN (Italy) April 15. (P) Two  
Dutch women, Hudrina and Lea  
Scheijer, passed Milan on a walk-  
ing trip around the world clad in  
native costume. They plan to get  
back to Amsterdam by 1932.

## BITING NOT IN CODE DUELLO

Hungarian Duellist Jailed for  
Chewing Adversary's Face  
During Battle

BUDAPEST (Hungary) April 15. (P) For biting his  
adversary's nose, ear and  
cheek, Bela Erdelyi, Hung-  
ary's champion duellist, who  
has fought twenty-six duels,  
today was sentenced to six  
months' rigorous imprison-  
ment.

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Americans themselves have long  
complained, still flourishes.

**SCORES POLITICS**  
"In San Quentin—a prison that  
contains more than 3000 inmates—the  
unusually capable warden who  
had held his position for many  
years was in 1925 obliged to give  
it up solely because it was  
not up to standard. The son-in-law  
of the new Governor. I have spoken  
with both of these wardens. The  
incumbent is a man who has  
not the slightest idea of the  
more subtle problems in the  
field of penology.

Workshops at San Quentin  
are, in general, antiquated and  
neglected. Various types of work—  
some of it very good work—are car-  
ried on there, especially in the shop  
for cabinet work. In the case of  
the prisoners are improved and which  
turn out very good school benches  
and desks. The prison is terribly  
overcrowded, there is no separation  
of young offenders from old and  
the officials impressed us as un-  
intelligent and self-satisfied. There  
is no progressive merit system; all  
receive the same treatment, but  
good behavior shortens the term.

**ONE GOOD POINT**

"The efforts of the educational  
division of the institution, however,  
are really praiseworthy. It has the  
cooperation of the University of  
California, which offers university  
extension courses in a wide field  
of fields. The library of 11,000 vol-  
umes covers a wide variety of sub-  
jects. On the same high level is the  
well-equipped hospital, which con-  
tains operating rooms, an X-ray  
department, a dental clinic, a diet  
kitchen, a pharmacists' shop and a  
nurse's ward. In spite of these  
bright spots San Quentin as a  
whole gives a distressing impres-  
sion, especially in view of the gen-  
eral economic development of such  
an amazing country as California.

"In contrast to this prison, I consider  
the school in California of a model institution of the first rank  
in the field of training schools—the  
Whittier State School near Los  
Angeles. The director of the in-  
stitution lays special stress on  
the fact that the surroundings and  
spirit of the place shall be as lit-  
tle as possible like those of a cor-  
rectional institution in the technical  
sense. Whereas a correctional in-  
stitution runs according to the old  
methods of punishment from 7 to  
10 per cent of success, the Whittier  
State School can boast that 73  
per cent of those discharged from  
the school do well for several years."

**WHITTIER CONTRAST**

Dr. Liepmann sees the work at  
Whittier as fruitful of results largely  
because of the mental hygiene  
methods employed in the manage-  
ment of this institution.

"One of the features of the phys-  
ical, intellectual, psychological and  
ethical peculiarities of each individ-  
ual boy are of real service to the  
school; his capacities and disabilities,  
his wishes, dispositions and  
character have to be known before  
educational work with him can be  
intelligently directed. And he  
sides throwing light upon the in-  
dividual case, these investigations  
furnish data for a study of the  
psychology of delinquent children in  
general and the causes of their de-  
linquency.

"The examinations are made first  
in a hospital connected with the  
institution, to which every new-  
comer is admitted for several days. If no treatment for infectious dis-  
eases is required, the boy is admitted  
to the receiving cottage, where he is kept  
under relatively strict supervision for a period of from six weeks to  
three months, while a plan for his  
physical, vocational and educational  
treatment is worked out on the  
basis of his individual needs.

"The 'education through atmos-  
phere' of the institution proceeds upon  
the idea that most of the boys  
have come from a poor en-  
vironment and will later return to  
such surroundings. It must therefore  
be attractive for the reason that only  
if a boy loves his institution will  
its spirit and the teachings of its  
educators retain their hold upon  
him through his whole life. The  
director of the institution calls each  
boy and his mother to his office and  
radiates a spirit of infectious kind-  
liness that not only wins the boys,  
but holds the entire staff under its  
spell and calls forth a like attitude  
in them. Anyone who sees the in-  
stitution and the boys, who hears  
their talk and discussion with  
teachers, and feels the spirit with  
which they are imbued, feels at  
once this atmosphere of under-  
standing, frankness and friendship.

"The same spirit rules in the  
dangerous field of discipline. There  
is no corporal punishment. The dis-  
ciplinary measures should be used  
as seldom as possible, that they  
should be merely temporary pro-  
prio to the authority of the less com-  
petent and experienced supervisors,  
and eventually he discharges offi-  
cials who need such support too  
often."

**FLYING DUTCHWOMAN**  
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# NEWS OF SOUTHERN COUNTIES

## CHURCHES FORM CONSOLIDATION

Methodist Congregations Join Hands

Merger Affects Organization at Santa Monica

To Build Imposing Edifice Immediately

SANTA MONICA, April 15.—Final consolidation of two of Santa Monica's most important churches, the First Methodist and Grace Methodist, was consummated at a banquet held in the edifice of the former congregation. Negotiations for the consolidation which affects 1000 members, has been going on since January, and final details were worked out at a conference with Bishop Charles Wesley Burns in charge of this area.

The plan under which the two churches consolidate includes the erection of a new and imposing building on a lot at California avenue and Sixteenth street, on which an option has already been secured according to last night's announcement. A general committee and an executive committee with power to sell all the property of both churches has been appointed. Members of the latter being W. A. Atkinson, George C. Clegg, R. McElroy, Fred N. Jones and William H. May. The general committee includes B. V. McNair, John Sandman, Thomas D. Pitts, George H. Pierson, Ernest Maher, R. A. Batties, Mrs. C. W. Reed, Mrs. Ida Davies, Mrs. E. E. Edwards, Mrs. Burdette, Mrs. J. W. Williams, C. Montague, R. N. H. McAdams, Watson Schaefer, Mrs. V. E. Phillips, Mrs. G. C. Howland and Albert Dorrance.

For the present, both the old structures will be used and the members of both churches will work as co-operators. Rev. Horace B. Selsner, pastor of the Grace church, remaining in charge of the religious education work, in which he has had a large amount of special training. Dr. Harry L. Jones, pastor of the First Methodist Church, stated in his banquet address last night, that union of the two churches had been easy of accomplishment because the work of both had been overlapping for some time. In this, Rev. Selsner bade his co-operators and supporters a

The new building will be one of the finest church edifices in the State, consisting of a church proper and a religious education building. Dr. White is said to have chosen a new site or consolidated churches in every pastorate he has held.

## New Buildings to be Erected Along Border

SAN DIEGO, April 15.—New customs and immigration buildings at the Port of San Ysidro are cost approximately \$100,000, probably will be provided for soon as the result of negotiations made by the San Diego Chamber of Commerce.

Following considerable correspondence with the local chamber of commerce, the department at Washington writes that the chief of the U. S. Customs and Immigration educators who last night addressed the Twenty-Third Club in this city.

Mr. Monroe was born in India and except for a few years he has lived there all his life.

He suggested that the time will ever come when the Mohammedans and Hindus will forget their religious differences and co-operate in running the government.

The caste system he also sees as a stumbling block in the ruling of the nation.

With a glorious background of achievement in art, poetry, philosophy and music, India presented a peculiar problem in the slow development of industry and increased living standards," he declared.

Mr. Monroe's "Message to India," an ideal and a knowledge of the power of the soul force have been given, which will become a tradition for future generations.

"In his stand against capitalism, however, he resembles Karl Marx, but the Ed Johnson & Sons, Contractors. A bond of \$35,000 is held by the city on this contract awaiting the decision of the appeal awaiting the decision of Judge Tapas in which the proceedings were adjourned.

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## ORCHARD PRICES SET NEW RECORD

SANTA PAULA, April 15.—Two of the major ranch real estate deals in the Barbados area recently completed by R. C. Young, rancher, and his son, are seven and one-half acres of citrus and purchasing of forty acres of oranges, involving more than \$120,000.

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## SCHOOL WEEK SPEAKER

CHINO, April 15.—Mark Koppel, superintendent of schools for Los Angeles county, has accepted an invitation to be principal speaker at the Chino Community Program, featuring observance of public school week, Tuesday evening, the 24th inst. It was announced by McColl Aldrich, principal of Chino High School.

Miss Ida Drobotsky, winner of Chino's elimination event for the National Oratorical contest, will deliver her winning oration.

## INCREASE CAPITAL STOCK

LINDSBY, April 15.—The Lindley Home Telephone and Telegraph Company has been granted permission by the Railroad Commission to increase its authorized capital stock from \$25,000 to \$100,000, to be divided into 1000 shares at \$100 each. A total of \$40,000 worth will be used to increase the capital to be provided to the City Council at the next meeting. This will be at the first session of the City Council elected last Monday.

## TO REIGN AT FRESNO'S ANNUAL EVENT

Miss Georgia Holmes of Lindsay Queen of Festival



Rules at Raisin Fiesta  
San Joaquin Valley maidens who compose the royal party at annual holiday.

## JOB FOR NEW COUNCIL

HERMOSA BEACH Continues Fight Against Improvement Scheduled to Cost \$313,000

HERMOSA BEACH, April 15.—Indications that the smoke of battle which has hung over the improvement proceedings of Hermosa avenue has not yet cleared away are brought out in the filing of a referendum petition demanding the revocation of the city's contract with the Pan-Pacific Construction Company which already has the paving work well under way. The petition, which its sponsors say, is sufficient, will be the first major matter which will come before the new City Council which is to be seated at the special meeting tomorrow night.

It is the contention of the petitioners headed by James W. Clark that the new work will bear enough legal weight to force the issue either of a revocation of the city's contract for the work or of a referendum election to put the matter before the people.

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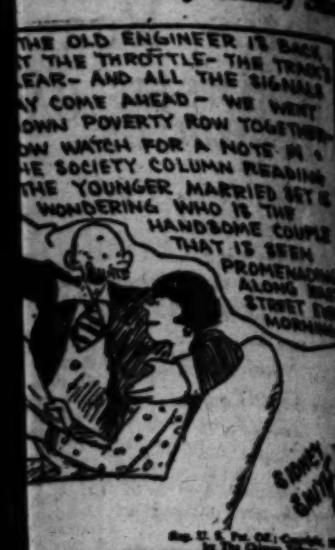








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Well Kept Closely Guarded by Operators

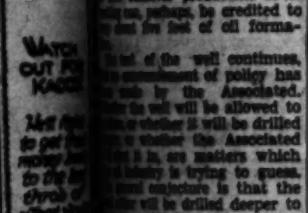
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## TWO DRAFTS ON VEIN OF GOLD MINE

Work on Discovery in Seven Troughs Estate Being Pushed

RENO (Nev.) April 15. (Exclusive)—Drilling both ways is proceeding on the eight-foot vein struck last month in the tunnel of the Seven Troughs mine, located near Lamoille. J. H. Coates, consulting engineer for the corporation, states that two feet of the ledge samples \$80 per ton in gold, and that the vein is believed to be the faulted segment of the rich Cominco mine, which is to be developed in the future. The company's objective is that the vein will be drilled deeper to make lower zones, even though it is in a commercial vein, in depth, or if it is found to be in the general conservation area of the older operators.

The company has to pump out the water from the shaft well, has drilled a second time, the second test indicating no

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Parcel 2. Comprising some 600 acres of land partially subdivided, situated in the City of Los Angeles, fronting on both sides of Robertson Boulevard, east of and adjoining the Hillcrest Country Club. Appraised value: \$3,775,400

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**OIL PRODUCERS'  
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*Society of Independents in  
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*Report on Operations for  
Past Year Made*

**BAKERSFIELD**, April 14 (Exclusive)—L. P. St. Clair, president of the Independent Oil Producers' Agency, has "every confidence that the oil industry has passed the point of maximum production." The members and directors of the agency at their annual meeting here, in the election which climaxed the usual conference, President St. Clair and all other officers and directors re-elected.

The officers are L. P. St. Clair, president; S. W. Morshead, vice-president; W. H. Robb, secretary, and George W. Lane, attorney.

The Independent Agency management, 15,000 barrels of oil daily during 1927, for a return of \$12,387,054, according to the annual report of Secretary Robb. The total amount of oil handled was close to the total of previous years, received

The company's total production in 1927, for a return of \$12,387,054, received by the independent producers through the agency is \$15,717 in excess of like returns of such oil being sold outside the agency at prevailing market prices, the report shows.

The mine has been equipped with up-to-date machinery, including engine and hoist and a pumping plant at a total cost for mill and modern installations, of approximately \$150,000.

In mine development, the main working shaft has been sunk to a depth of 122 feet. From the bottom of the shaft a drift has been driven to the surface, the distance of 900 feet. The drift is 100 feet yet to go to complete the present plan of mine development. The face of the drift has a vertical depth of 600 feet from the surface. In driving the drift, on one side was followed a distance of 370 feet, the drift being from four to seven feet in width, and swelling to twelve feet, with values running from \$12 to \$100 in gold to the ton.

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It was stated that the operating cost during 1927 was lower than during any previous year of the agency's activity, the cost per barrel of oil to miners being \$1.00. All the oil held in storage by the agency at the close of the year 1926 was sold during 1927.

Contracts for the coming year were entered into with the following companies: Bunker Oil Company, Interstate Oil Company, Bush B. Evans, Inc., California Star Oil Company, Coalings Star Oil Company, and Salvia Oil Company.

"Marketing companies are unanimous in their desire to continue production as far as possible," President St. Clair told the members.

"Such a movement is almost imperative because of the lack of storage facilities."

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San Fran, California, Manufacturing, 100 West Broadway, Suite 5 to 8. All welcome.

Los Angeles City Club open forum dinner, Clubhouse, 833 South Spring street, 7:30 p.m. Judge Benjamin F. Blodow and C. L. Welch will speak on "Are the Courts Losing the Respect of the People?"

Los Angeles Woman's City Club meeting, Morocco Theater Building, 744 South Broadway, afternoon. Princess Dot Ling will speak on "The Forbidden City."

Hollywood Studio Club luncheon meeting, P. W. Miller Cafe, noon. Guests: Eddie Hill speak.

Hollywood Woman's Club luncheon meeting, clubhouse, noon. Frank Reicher, Mayme, Ober Peak, Regina Croce, and others will speak.

Los Angeles Club meeting. An exchange program will be given by the Friday Morning Club.

Los Angeles Council of Catholic Women meeting, P. W. Miller Cafe, 1 p.m. Dr. George Parish, Father Lucy, Rev. Dr. O'Dwyer and Rev. Dr. Noll will speak.

Pan-Pacific Association for Mutual Understanding meeting, Windsor Tea Room, evening, 8:30 p.m. C. Nies and Carson Taylor will speak.

Los Angeles Artisan Club meeting, 214 Loma Drive, evening. Charles Wakefield Codman will play.

Los Angeles Catholic Woman's Club business meeting, clubhouse, speaker, Mrs. Guidemuth will speak on "Educational Amusement."

Open Forum, Polytechnic Evening High School, Washington and Hope street, 7 p.m. Alfred Parker, Dr. C. L. Welch will speak on "New and Progressive Methods of Adult Education."

Los Angeles Philharmonic Club meeting, City Club rooms, 833 South Spring street, Mountain Chapter, Daughters of the Union meeting, 225 Lafayette Park Place, 3 p.m. Miss Katherine A. Reynolds will speak on "Social Welfare Work."

Los Angeles Franklin Club meeting, Hotel 615 South Spring street, 10 a.m. Dr. C. L. Welch will speak.

Arizona Forecast for San Francisco, April 15—Weather for San Francisco and vicinity—General: moderate west wind; moderate west wind; rain over extreme north; wet north; moderate temperature; moderate west wind; cool east.

Sacramento Valley: general fair; temperatures: moderate west and northwest winds; cool east.

Los Angeles: San Joaquin Valley: Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: general fair; temperatures: moderate west wind.

California: generally fair; moderate temperatures: moderate west and northwest winds.

Executive committee and subcommittees of the World's Sunday School Convention dinner meeting, Chapman Park Hotel, 615 South Spring street, 7 p.m. Prof. Alfred Parker, Dr. C. L. Welch will speak on "New and Progressive Methods of Adult Education."

Michigan State Society reunion, Symphony Hall, 223 South Hill street, Illinois State Society reunion, Veterans Hall, 246 South Hill street, evening.

Michigan Pictures, Alabama, 731 South Hill—The First Auto.

Baltimore, Fifth and Grand—Wings.

Crescent Palace, Broadway between Sixth and Seventh—Sorrell and Son.

Cathay Circle, Whistler at Cathay Center—Street Angel.

Criterion, Seventh and Grand—The Town Cafe.

Forum, 450 West Pico—The Story.

Graham's, Chinese, Hollywood and Orange—The Cross.

Graham's Egyptian, 6705 Hollywood—The Crowd.

Horn's State, Smith and Broadway—We Americans.

Metropolitan, Sixth and Hill—May Come, Easy Go.

Million Dollar, Third and Broadway—Sports.

Palace, Broadway near Ninth—Wining Virtue.

Tower, Eighth and Broadway—Chicago.

United Artists, Broadway near Ninth—West Coast Boulevard, Washington and Vermont—One Round Trip.

West Coast Uptown, Tenth and Western—The Fates.

Stage.

Belasco, Eleventh and Hill—The Scarlet Woman.

Biltmore, Fifth and Grand—The Guilty Man.

Capitol, Hollywood and Highland—New Brooms.

Hollywood Play House, 1733 North Highland—From Hell Comes a Lady.

Metropolitan, Sixth and Broadway—The Dark.

Mason, 127 South Broadway—His Blossom Bride.

Mayan, Eleventh and Hill—Dark Morocco, 744 South Broadway—The Marquis.

New Mission Playhouse, San Gabriel—The Mission Play.

Hollywood Music Box, 626 Hollywood Boulevard—Women Go On.

Orange Grove, 730 South Grand—Dark.

Pasadena Community Playhouse, 515 Olive—Philharmonic Orchestra, Playhouse, 940 South Figueroa—Excess Baggage.

Vine-street, Vine, near Sunset—A Single Man.

Varieties.

Burke, Sixth and Main—Burke.

Polles, Fourth and Main—Burke.

Hillcrest, Eighth and Hill—Barto and Mann.

Orpheum, Ninth and Broadway—Ada Reeve.

Pan-Pacific, Seventh and Hill—Freckles.

THE WEATHER

(Continued)

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, April 15—(Reported by H. H. Hirsch, Meteorologist.) At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometric pressure was 30.05 in. of mercury. The temperature was 58° and the relative humidity 8 a.m., 60 per cent; 8 p.m., 47 per cent. Wind 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 2 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 6 miles. Temperature at 8 a.m. was 58°; at 12 noon, 64°; at 4 p.m., 62°; at 8 p.m., 58°. Rainfall for the season, 947 inches; normal for the season, 14.7 inches. Barometric pressure at 8 a.m. was 27.7 inches.

LOCAL FORECAST

For Los Angeles and vicinity, fair weather and Tuesday, with moderate temperatures.

STATE FORECAST

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, April 15—Weather forecast.

FOR SACRAMENTO, April 15—Weather forecast.

FOR LOS ANGELES, April 15—Weather forecast.

FOR BIRMINGHAM, April 15—Weather forecast.

FOR PHOENIX (Ariz.), April 15—Weather forecast.

FOR PORTLAND, April 15—Weather forecast.



## Bandit Slain, One Dying, Another Escapes in Hot Gun Battle

### TRIO TRAPPED IN LONG BEACH

*Ballroom Scene of Vicious Fight With Police*

*Suspected Member of Same Gang Arrested Here*

*Officers Unhurt as Their Bullets Hit Marks*

In a vicious effort to shoot their way out of a trap set by police and deputy sheriffs at the Cinderella Ballroom in Long Beach early yesterday morning, one man paid with his life, a second was, perhaps, fatally wounded, and a third believed shot, escaped. None of the officers was hit.

The dead man was Earl C. Davis, 36 years of age, with a police record as a thief. Davis died at the Seaside Hospital shortly after the affray ended with eleven bullet holes in his body.

The wounded man gave the name of Richard Phillips, 30. He was hit seven times. He was taken to the private ward of the General Hospital, where his condition is said to be critical.

#### LASTS TEN MINUTES

The battle between the officers and the trio was described as one of the most desperately contested contests between law-enforcement men and suspected criminals in Long Beach for many years. For ten minutes the combat was biased on both sides. Superior marksmanship on the part of the officers, Detective Lieutenant Bob Evans of the Los Angeles Police Department, Deputy Sheriff George Chapman and Donald, and Detective Lieutenant Davies and Detective Sergeant Gott of the Long Beach Police Department, spelled the defeat for the suspects.

The trap into which the three walked was set by the officers. Acting on a tip Detective Lieutenant Evans and the deputy sheriffs enlisted the aid of the Long Beach detectives and, shortly after midnight Saturday, placed themselves in the ballroom. Information had reached them that at attempt was to be made to blow open the safe of the ballroom. The safe was known to contain \$10,000 in cash.

With the trap ready and their pistols filled with extra shells, the officers waited, expecting that the intruders might resort to gun play.

#### SILENCE REIGNS

Minutes passed. Then hours. The ballroom located at 307 East Broadway had been closed. The cliff wind was dead. There was no sound in the set. There was no sound.

Then in that darkest hour just before dawn each officer from his place of concealment saw three figures appear out of the darkness and move slowly toward a ground-floor window. One of the trio set a large suit coat down on the ground while a companion cautiously started to zip the screen from the window.

### SPRING FEVER BUG ATTACKS CO-EDS

*It's Not Ailment, Just Mental Let-down, Says Physician*



Psychologist Declares It's Physiological  
No matter what its cause these university of Southern California co-eds have real spring fever. They are left to right, Mary Bell Blair, who has streaked her boots, and Adeline Harmon is following the spring fever urge. Helen Haver indulges in a spring stretch as the sun gets in her work on the Trojan

PRING fever, from a psychologist's point of view, is mainly physiological and from a physician's point of view it is all psychological.

If the psychologists want to blame it on physiology and the physiologists want to blame it on psychology it is all the same to the Long Beach detectives and, shortly after midnight Saturday, police officers waited for the intruders. Information had reached them that at attempt was to be made to blow open the safe of the ballroom. The safe was known to contain \$10,000 in cash.

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#### BATTLE BEGINS

The three, started by the com-

mand out of the darkness, jumped

back from the window, but instead

of complying with the demand to

surrender, according to the repre-

sentation of the officers, they whipped out

revolvers and opened fire.

The officers dodged back.

Evans was the first to reply to the fire.

Then the voice of the sergeant

came over the radio: "The letter

ceased firing long enough to

scour back around the rear of the

ballroom to gain cover, then, as the

officers advanced, responded that

they had advanced.

Within minutes or more, shots

were exchanged on both sides. Then

the fight ended. The officers ad-

vanced to find Davis dying. Phillips

wounded, and the third man

wounded.

Davis was rushed to the Seaside

Hospital in Long Beach. Just

before he died, a few minutes later,

he told the officers, according to their report, that he served five

years for robbery in Oklahoma.

According to Evans, Davis has

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—Abraham Lincoln.

THE BUCK PLAN  
The Pathfinder wants to know if the new Buck plan for prohibition enforcement is just another plan for passing the buck. No; it's to make the law enforcers buck up.

DARKEST PITTSBURGH  
Pittsburgh seeks to regulate smoke density by ordinance, but every now and then some flapper lights a cigarette and confuses the inspectors. If the Mayor can see the sun he thinks his town is purified.

A DOG'S LIFE  
An actress wants to start a rural retreat for homeless dogs. This is one of those things that an actress would start. She could probably never keep one husband and, therefore, considers herself qualified to take care of ninety-two dogs. Anyhow, there may be a little notoriety in it.

DISCOURAGING  
A scientist computes that to produce a pound of honey a thousand bees would have to work a lifetime. But a human family of five can consume that pound of honey in a day. If the bees ever get together and consider this unfair deal they'll throw up their hands, and there'll be no more honey.

SOLES LAST TOO LONG  
Complaint is made by shoe manufacturers that footgear of all kinds is not selling as well as it did some years ago, and they contemplate a campaign that shall result in better profits. It is to be hoped that their efforts will not be bootless. Still what can they expect when half the population is saving its soles by wearing out rubber tires?

VACATION DAYS  
Already there is considerable interest in the locale of the President's vacation. Next year he may go back to Vermont and whittle to his heart's content, but he still belongs to the people and they wish him to be pleasantly placed through the dog days. The hills of North Carolina and the salty sands of Maine are beckoning as it daily becomes more manifest that the big chief will not be able this year to get very far away from the capital. There seems little chance of a California venture until after the cares of office have been put aside. Yet who can say he knows his country who has not tasted some of the splendors of California?

SOMETHING ON FOOT  
Maybe if Herbert Hoover gets to be President he will be able to standardize American feet. An eastern shoe company discovered that it had been making nearly 1500 different patterns in footwear. They consulted nearly half a million of their customers, measured their feet and considered their preferences. Now the company is turning out only 100 designs, is selling more shoes than ever and making a great deal more money. There are hundreds of styles that cannot possibly be worn by more than 10 per cent of the American people. To manufacture and to market these patterns represents the investment of a sum of money. A hundred patterns should be ample for the crowd. Those who demand something different could have them made to order.

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NEW QUARTERS, NEW MANNERS?  
The City Council of Los Angeles is scheduled to begin functioning in the new City Hall this morning.

The City Hall is an edifice of which Los Angeles can be proud. It is one of the most beautiful municipal buildings in the United States. It compares well with the old building as day with night. It is to be hoped the City Council, escaping from its old and drab surroundings, will take on a new spirit to correspond, and become as pleasing in actions as the new home is in appearance.

Some of the Councilmen doubtless have made mentally some good resolutions, which they have determined to abide by in the brighter future that is symbolized by this light and airy structure. It might be well if the whole body, as its first official act, might subscribe to new rules of official conduct—and then hew to the line, paying little or no attention to the direction of the flying chips.

The Council might decide, for instance, that despite the fact that it has been selected by the district-representation system it will always strive to serve the interests of the city as a whole; that where the interests of the whole municipality conflict with those of any Councilman's district, it is the district interests which must yield.

The membership might resolve that the whole duty of a Councilman is not to scramble for an allotment of traffic signals or to pull wires to get his favorite street made a boulevard-stop, while more pressing business is held up.

It might worry more about the increasing burden of assessments upon property owners, and set itself the task of weighing each contemplated improvement with the greatest care to determine whether any real harm will come from postponement.

It might determine to stop log-rolling, and vote according to the merits of each measure before it rather than because it will help some individual Councilman get what he wants.

It might pare down Councilmanic expenses. The high cost of ice water and the high cost of limousines are two items that swell the Council's personal budget to \$122,000, while the former Council of nine men elected at large got along with \$3,000 in the last fiscal year of its existence. Three or four stenographers did all the necessary letter writing for this body, but one of the first acts of the present Council was to vote a secretary for each member, adding eleven secretaries to the Council pay roll. In contrast it took the Council eight months to decide that it ought to scrutinize paving and lighting petitions so as to eliminate overlapping assessments. It also required eight months for the Council to do anything with the airport problem.

District representation is the basic reason for the Council's deficiencies; some time there will have to be a charter amendment providing for a smaller body of men elected at large, if there is to be any fundamental improvement.

This Council is, however, distinctly better than its predecessor, and if it sets out to do so can do away with some of the vices that flow from the district system.

At least in the new City Hall the Council will not be depressed daily by sight of the portrait gallery of the former Mayors. The Municipal Art Commission was unable to find space in the new buildings for this collection. If the Council does improve after leaving these portraits behind, it may be taken as an outstanding example of the influence of environment on action.

THE NANKING INCIDENT  
Having firmly established itself at Nanking, the Chinese Nationalist government expressed a desire recently to settle the claims of the United States arising from the looting of American property in that city a year ago and the killing of one American citizen. Six diplomatic notes changed hands at Shanghai recently between the two governments. Nanking promised that reparation would be made to our nationals who suffered when the city was captured, that the Chinese who looted and murdered would be punished and that hereafter protection and security would be given to Americans in its territory.

Minister MacMurray assured the Nationalist Foreign Minister that our State Department was "willing to express regret that it was necessary for a United States river gunboat to bombard Nanking during the troublous times." Because of this innocuous statement the eastern press has been commenting unfavorably upon the American note. The Philadelphia Public Ledger characterized it as "leaning over backward to satisfy Chinese sentiments."

Nothing of the sort. The "regret" was not that we had bombarded Nanking, but that it was necessary to bombard it—quite a different matter. There are other governments in China besides that of Nanking, and it is probable that Minister MacMurray was authorized to make this graceful gesture, misconstrued by some of our home press as an "apology" in order that the Nanking government might not lose face in China.

In its dealings with China, America always has been more than generous, and the State Department's note is but another expression of that generosity.

LIQUOR OF TRADE

William Wrigley, Jr., who for part of the time breathes the balmy air of the Pacific at his Catalina resort and for the rest that of the Windy City by Lake Michigan, says that advertising is like running a train. "You've got to keep shoveling coal under the boiler. Once you stop shoveling, the fire goes out. The train will go for a while on its own momentum, but gradually will slow down and ultimately come to a dead stop."

Mr. Wrigley has spent \$40,000,000

in advertising in the last seventeen years, and he should know what he is talking about. He calls advertising the life blood of trade, and says the business outlook in this country is good because everybody is advertising.

Los Angeles has learned to respect the power of advertising. Printer's ink has been freely used in settling forth its charms and advantages. They were known, of course, in a general way, but they have been impressed upon the people of far regions by this means to an extent that has brought in newcomers by the thousands and capital by the

## LEE SIDE O' LA

By Lee Shippey

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ships canned fruit to nearly all the world, but Mexico ships canned fruit to Southern California.

Away out on Whiteside avenue, outside the city limits, and far from any Mexican center, a busy importing house distributes Mexican canned fruits and condiments, and is a growing concern. One has to go to the end of the

First-street car line, and then to the end of the one-man "goat" car, which connects with it, and then walk a few blocks to reach that out-of-the-way wholesale house.

But the proprietor assures us that all the groceries in Sonoratown and many of the residents have broken a path to its door through the wilderness.

Ever Eat Mangoes?

We don't blame them. We were attracted to the spot by the report that there one could buy canned mangoes. We hope the fruit canneries of California aren't going to scalp us for this, but if it be treason they may make the most of it. We're fond of California canned figs, pears, peaches, plums and apricots. But the only canned fruit for which we ever year—when we seem to taste for one fleeting instant as we emerge from a paradisaical dream, is the mango de Manilla. Maybe it's just because it takes us back to pleasant dinners along. And then somebody told us they'd heard him say he'd like to collect on his cyclone insurance.

Always a Siring

We felt awfully complimented when F. S. H. invited us out to his house for Sunday dinner, and urged us to bring all five of our children along. And then somebody told us they'd heard him say he'd like to collect on his cyclone insurance.

Still Full of Fire

Fifteen "pensioned" fire horses lead a life of ease and ennui in Griffith Park, not happy in their indolence, firemen who knew them in their hoister days believe but neighbor for the times which are no more and cannot come again. Just to see whether or not years of idleness had made them forget their training one of the department's most elderly fire chiefs had one of the department's most elderly fire engines, equipped with a bell instead of a siren, driven through the park the other day. At the first clang of the bell there was a "round-up," a gathering of excited stamping—and happy horses. In half a minute, the fifteen animals, which had been grazing and widely scattered, were crowding each other around the engine.

Saved But Not Saving

Lee: "Prayer Opens Bank Meeting" says a headline in your paper. I can beat that. I breathe a fervent prayer every time I write a check—C. T. H.

Europe Pays Us Back

It isn't only in the matter of

millions. What Los Angeles and all California owes to advertising never can be adequately computed. With California it has been not only the lifeblood of trade, but, like some rare tonic, it has been the means of building up that lifeblood and keeping it steadily flowing.

FRUITFUL ARMY TRAINING

There is a practical school of military economists that has insisted, especially since the World War, that the army be employed in useful pursuits during time of peace, both for economical reasons and for the physical and mental welfare of its personnel. Proposals to use infantry in dam building and cavalry in stock raising would never get very far and the theory of steady employment for the army has never had a real hearing. Only forceful circumstance could make the army productive, and such circumstance has arisen in the army air corps.

It appears that this corps is bound to be productive on an increasingly large scale in turning out expert pilots.

Capable pilots with two years' experience can earn \$600 to \$700 a month in commercial aviation. The army has never before faced such a condition on a scale constituting a real problem. Now and then officers in the engineering corps or other specialized branches of the service have been called out of uniform in time of peace to accept greater emoluments in private enterprises, but the proselytism of commerce has not extended to the ranks and has never made a serious dent in the ranks of officer personnel.

Military Affairs Committees in Washington are considering legislation to meet the circumstance, but it will be all but impossible to eliminate the unusual conditions that exist. Army pilots complain less about their pay than about slow promotion. A lieutenant appeared before the House Military Affairs Committee and disclosed the fact that he was a lieutenant also during the war. He has flown 2000 hours since the war and under present regulations cannot be promoted to a captaincy before 1932 and will have to wait until 1948 for a majority.

Some concessions may be made for the benefit of army aviation personnel, but the remarkable progress of aviation provides greater opportunities for army fliers and mechanics than War Department pay rosters can afford to meet.

The logical answer seems to be to train more pilots and mechanics to fill the vacancies created by elapsed enlistments and resigned commissions. It is safe to assume that all mechanics and pilots trained by the army air corps will return to the colors if they are ever called upon in a national emergency. Every pilot and mechanic trained by the army makes the best possible timber for an army air reserve and there is no better training for the service of commercial aviation.

The military need not weep if it trains

the men to stand up for them to often disappoint on boarding a yellow car.

WE'RE COMFORTS

Life is a succession of sacrifices and sometimes those who sacrifice most derive a larger portion of satisfaction than

the pampered ones.

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THE COMMONWEALTH

BY CHARLES COKE WOODS

The word commonwealth ought to mean the common weal. The word community is its close ally. Both words mean an association of mutually shared interests. The miser is miserable because he makes no contribution to the commonwealth. He is the stagnant pond hugging its greedy arms about its own hoarded waters till they become scum-covered and deadly. All of its freshness becomes fetid and foul. It is noncommon, noncommunal. A great Hebrew lawyer once said, "None of us liveth to himself." To try it is sure guarantee of death. That is why the pond and the miser, self-centered and self-serving, waste their lives and shrivel to a scum.

The very soul of real Americanism is the common weal and the commonwealth. This is the great American secret of contented citizenship. To abuse it is to lose it. To keep our ship of state from crashing on the ruinous rock we must keep to the people's principle of the commonwealth. The individual citizen must keep his place and lift his part of the load as one of the spokes in the great wheel of civilization. Every citizen is an individual unit of the great commonwealth.

Every citizen must be unselfish enough to vote for his welfare and the commonwealth.

A man who looked like a cartoonist's model for a Bolshevik strolled into one of the "lady-car" bars in the city.

"Lady, can you do anything for falling hair?"

The barber laid castor oil on his hair and combed it. The customer was pleased.

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## NINE COLLEGES TO PICK ORATOR

**Southland Champion to Be Chosen Next Week**

**Coast Finals Will Be Held First Tuesday in May**

**Better America Federation Contest in Fourth Year**

**None Southern California colleges will battle for the championship of this part of the State on the evening of the 27th inst. in Millsap Auditorium, University of California at Los Angeles, in the first group phase of the Fourth National Intercollegiate Oratorical Contest on the Coast.**

**The institutions to be represented and the order in which their speakers will appear on the program follow:**

Loyola College, Pomona College, Cypress Junior College, California Christian College, University of Southern California, University of Redlands, U.C.L.A., Southwestern University and Taft Junior College.

### FINALS MAY 8

The winner of the contest the 27th inst. will compete in the finals at Santa Clara, May 8, when the contestants will be representatives of Northern California, Southern California, Oregon, Washington, Montana, Utah and Idaho.

The meeting of May 8 is one of seven national and semifinal meetings to be held during May to determine the seven national finalists who will participate in the national finals to be held in Los Angeles on June 21.

The contest is conducted by the Better America Federation of California and is now in its fourth year upon a national scale. The names to be given below are as follows among the seven national finalists: First, \$1500; second, \$1000; third, \$750; fourth, \$550; fifth, \$450; sixth, \$400, and seventh, \$350.

### MEETING THIS WEEK

The meetings to determine the spokesmen for each of the nine Southern California colleges will be held this week in the auditoriums of the different institutions.

The meetings to determine the Northern California champion will be held in the auditorium of the College of the Pacific at Stockton, the 27th inst. Speakers from eight Northern California institutions, including the University of California and Leland Stanford, will compete at that time.

## FORESTERS TO EXHIBIT FIRE BREAK

**Extensive Service Field Trip to Display Method of Conservation**

Construction of fire breaks with a ten-ton, especially constructed Caterpillar tractor will be one of the features of the Los Angeles County Forestry Field trip to be held tomorrow. The tour will be sponsored by the Agricultural Extension Service in co-operation with the Los Angeles County Forestry Department.

Many noted experts on forestry, water conservation and fire control will make short talks during the tour, which is scheduled to start at 8 a.m. from the Los Angeles County Reforestation Nursery, Lake and Concha areas.

From the nursery, the tour will take in Swopt Dam in Monrovia Canyon and San Dimas Foothill County Park during the forenoon. At the County Park short speeches will be made on water conservation and forestry by various speakers from the Federal, State and county bureaus.

A similar water conservation and fire control field day will be held in San Bernardino county, beginning Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. in Fontana.

## TWO-MILE PAVING PLAN ADVANCED

**Country Club Drive Asks Permanent Improvement in Tenth-Street Project**

Steps to improve County Club Drive, which will an extension of the present project through the heart of the city, were taken when a petition to pave the street with nine-inch permanent pavement was referred by the City Council to the City Engineer for checking.

The section to be improved lies between Rimpa Avenue and Roberson Boulevard, a distance of more than two miles. This new paved street will intersect Loma Avenue, Fairfax Avenue, and La Cienega Boulevard.

A portion of this stretch, between Orange Drive and Roberson Boulevard, already is under proceedings, it being included in the Ninth and Dunsmuir Improvement district. The original intent of the petition was passed on March 18.

It is the eventual plan of the city to extend Tenth street and County Club Drive to a connection with Louisiana Avenue, which in turn will be opened and widened to the beach.

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## SINGER LAUDS AMERICAN VOICES

**Werrenrath, Here For Concert, Says Europe Still Gives Best Opportunities For Training and New Opera Bureau Will Aid Students Going Abroad**

Americans have the finest voices potentially of any race in the world, but Europe still remains as the greatest field for training.

So declared Reinold Werrenrath, concert baritone, who arrived yesterday from Santa Barbara. Mr. Werrenrath is accompanied by his bride of two months, Mrs. Verna True Werrenrath, and they are guests at the Ambassador.

Mr. Werrenrath is one of the organizers of the International Opera Bureau, an enterprise whose feasibility is to be tested during the coming European operatic season.

To give American singers an opportunity to affiliate themselves with an European operatic company and thereby receive invaluable training.



Mr. and Mrs. Reinold Werrenrath

The International Opera Bureau has been organized, said Mr. Werrenrath. "Only those singers who show exceptional talent and ability will be accepted."

The bureau has been organized by John T. Adams, New York impresario; his mother, Mrs. Marguerite Adams, and Mr. Werrenrath. The bureau has contracts with twenty-six leading European opera-houses guaranteeing a minimum of fifteen appearances a season for those fortunate enough to qualify, Mr. Werrenrath said.

At least three scholarships will be available the first year and it is

hoped that a number of additional ones may be established annually during the coming years to help those unable to pay their own way, said Mr. Werrenrath. The committee on selection of candidates for the European opera companies is composed of Mr. Werrenrath as chairman, Alma Gluck, Louise Homer, Mabel Garrison, Herbert Witherspoon, Lambert Murphy and Tosca Seidel.

Mr. Werrenrath will appear tonight in a concert at the Philharmonic Auditorium.

## FILM LIGHTS AID SCIENCE OF MEDICINE

**New Incandescents Make Possible Photographing of Surgical Operations**

Working for his own betterment the cinema may give the science of medicine one of its greatest boons. In developing the new incandescent lighting for studio sets, the studios have made possible for the first time accurate and scientific filming for medical study.

This information has been received by Louis E. Mayer, head of the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios, where incandescent lighting was pioneered, in details of the work being accomplished at Cook County Hospital in Chicago under the direction of the University of Illinois.

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## FATHERS TO BE TOPIC OF MRS. DORSEY

**School Superintendent Will Speak Today Before Boys' Welfare Council**

Mrs. Susan M. Dorsey, superintendent of city schools, will discuss "Business as Fathers" at a luncheon meeting today of the Council for the Promotion of Boys' Welfare, at the Auditorium.

The luncheon, to be held at 12:15 p.m., will be opened for journalists who aspire to become radio writers.

## PASADENA PHYSICIAN TO ADDRESS RADIO MEN

The Southern California section, Institute of Radio Engineers, will hold its monthly meeting Monday night with a dinner at 7 p.m.

The speakers will be Dr. A. C. Burt, research fellow at the California Institute of Technology, speaking on "The Accomplishments of the Boy Character-Building Agencies of the Chest."

Joseph Scott, chairman of the Boys' Week committee of the council, will preside and a summary will be given of the complete plan for the promotion of Boys' Welfare, at the Auditorium.

The luncheon period will be held in the Auditorium of the University of Illinois.

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**IMITATIONS**  
**FEATURED**  
**BY ACTRESS**

**Venita Gould** Shines on  
Bill of Feminine Stars  
at Orpheum

BY MURIEL BARBOCK

It's going to be ladies' day and ladies' night every day and evening at the Orpheum this week.

While the management has requested no such announcement, we

asked quite safe in making this statement, that the

name of our own record.

Our glance at the new bill and the reasons why it may be readily understood.

There's principally Venita Gould.

Then Ada Reeve. There's May Wirth and the Ryan Sisters. There's Margaret Stewart. It must be admitted, of course, that Jimmy Conlon and Leo Seymour

have quite a stable name along with that of Jessie Howard.

Frank Jerome pairs off with a lady known as Evelyn, while there is a down

in the Wirth act. On the whole,

the gentlemen are in the minority, though in numbers and quality of entertainment.

Equally excellent effects have been

achieved in the Lighthouse set, in

which the remainder of the action

unfolds. There is the indelible

illusion of the sea in this setting.

It is detail that adds to the effectiveness

of the stage pictures. "The Lady from Hell" will, I surmise, disappoint.

It is rather as efficaciously cast in

all cases, nor as deftly played as it

ought to be. There is merit run-

ning through the performances, but it is still up to the matinee

one exception of Lionel Barrymore, who gives a more than

adequate interpretation.

There is no question that many of the scenes are trying ones to

keep and give life to, and the situations are but little better.

It is hard to listen to such emanations as this from the talk,

for instance—"Do you reckon there's

anything in this godawful thing

they can live up to and about?"

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# Of Interest to Women.

## SOCIETY

BY JUANA NEAL LEVY

George Eastman, the Kodak king, arrived at the Cairo railroad station the other day, clad in an old gray cloth cap, a green blazer, one black tuxedo shoe and one bath slipper—his entire costume having been bought in a Cairo bazaar. He goes on the train de luxe from Upper Egypt to Cairo. The extraordinary spectacle of the American multimillionaire thus dressed was the result of a fire which broke out on the train, gutting two sleeping cars before the engineer could be warned and the train stopped. Mr. Eastman had been passing several hours hunting in the interior of Africa.

The man whom Fortune's Magazine calls "America's master salesman" and whom the Los Angeles Times describes as "America's most versatile business man," G. M. Bryar, drifted into Paris recently and refused to discuss anything but international politics. Mr. Bryar is finishing a book on the creation of new nations in Europe, in which he calls it his work under President Wilson and the international principles which was launched to acquaint the peoples of Europe with Wilsonian principles.

That the world must follow the American principle of mass production and that Calvin Coolidge will be the next President of the United States were the two unfounded convictions of Frederick H. Prince, prominent banker of Boston, upon his return to Paris from the United States en route to his home in Pau, France.

Continental Europe is awake to the value of international advertising and the time is not far distant when a prominent publication will have as many foreign advertisements as domestic. It is the opinion of Frederick Drake, business manager of "Elton's," that a man has arrived in Paris to open a large office and visit his Milan bureau.

The general business situation in America is not very satisfactory at the present moment, according to Stanley F. Ward, New York banker, who has just come to Paris with Mrs. Ward. The unemployment situation is really worse than generally believed, declared Mr. Ward.

The French franc will be stabilized at about its present value within six months, in the opinion of many prominent New York Stock Exchange brokers. Mrs. Leon Moyse, senior member of Moyse & Holmes, Wall street bankers and brokers, who is spending the spring season in Paris with Mrs. Moyse.

What is to be the first move on the part of American candy manufacturers to have a large market on a large scale is getting under way. Herbert Singer of Singer Brothers, Newark, N. J., representing Schwartz and several other equally well-known makers of sweetmeats, declared in Paris recently.

Many prominent New York men, Mrs. U. Hill has passed in the San Fernando Valley, north of Los Angeles. However, she probably will spend the summer in Paris. Mrs. Hill has been here as a student. Now she is living in the Rue de la Grande-Chaumière. She does not paint or write—but she has a very good time watching the progress of those who do the same. She is particularly fond of the Louvre. Michel and comemmenced moving toward Montparnasse. But she is not one of those who regret the passing of the "old old days."

Miss C. S. Goss and her daughter, Miss Fae Belle Goss, who have been in Paris for several years, where the latter has been studying, have called for the United States on the United States Lines. They will visit Mrs. Goss' son, Lieutenant-Commander G. S. Goss and Miss M. Goss in Washington, D. C., and relatives in Chicago, Minneapolis and Cleveland.

Miss Goldman, who has been traveling in Europe, made a recent visit to Vienna, where he registered at the Hotel Bristol.

The hotel and travel information service at 11 Rue de Castiglione, Paris, and at 28 Haymarket, London, of which C. C. Drake, son of Fredrick Drake, is general manager, now belongs exclusively to the younger Drake, who will continue to be the exclusive European representative of the Ambassador Hotel system of Los Angeles and the El Mirador of Barbados.

Mrs. Ethel R. Burns and Miss Ruth and Miss Janet Burns have been for the past several days in and about the French capital.

Miss George Kinnaird has been passing several days in the French capital as a guest of the Hotel de France at Château.

Another Los Angeles visitor to the French capital at the moment is

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HAND NO. 132

♦ Q742  
♦ Q16  
♦ A232  
♦ 1497  
♦ A1952  
♦ J56  
♦ KQJ7  
♦ K6  
♦ K5  
♦ A8  
♦ 1064  
♦ A9532

South is dealer. Who is the proper bid?

Saturday's Hand as played by Mr. Whitehead

HAND NO. 136

♦ 674 ♦ 1075 ♦ AK932 ♦ J388  
W-♦ Q12932 ♦ K79 06 ♦ AK74  
N-♦ A232 ♦ A952 ♦ Q742 ♦ G52  
E-♦ K621 ♦ 643 ♦ 1875 ♦ G52

The Current Standing and Play

THE PLAY

(Bidding and play—bid to each hand)

|                  | South | West | North | East | W.W. |
|------------------|-------|------|-------|------|------|
| 1. S.W.          | 59    | 58   | 52    |      |      |
| 2. E. 62         | 62    | 62   |       |      |      |
| 3. N. 59         | 59    | 57   |       |      |      |
| 4. D. 57         | 57    | 51   |       |      |      |
| 5. D. 62         | 62    | 62   |       |      |      |
| 6. D. 67         | 67    | 62   |       |      |      |
| 7. D. 62         | 62    | 62   |       |      |      |
| 8. D. 62         | 62    | 62   |       |      |      |
| 9. D. 62         | 62    | 62   |       |      |      |
| 10. D. 62        | 62    | 62   |       |      |      |
| 11. D. 62        | 62    | 62   |       |      |      |
| 12. D. 62        | 62    | 62   |       |      |      |
| 13. D. 62        | 62    | 62   |       |      |      |
| Total Total W.W. | 575   |      |       |      |      |

Bids—Opponents

Total Bidding—30

THE BIDDING

South Bid: Win Side Month Side East Side

1. D. D26 LAST PLACE

2. E. 25 LAST PLACE

3. N. 25 LAST PLACE

4. D. 25 LAST PLACE

Total Total Win













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